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H. R. 3749

To amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of a Drug-Free Workplace Information Clearinghouse, to authorize programs to prevent and improve treatment of methamphetamine addiction, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. HOOLEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Methamphetamine
5 Prevention Enhancement Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE INFORMATION CLEARING-**
2 **HOUSE.**

3 Part A of title V of the Public Health Service Act
4 (42 U.S.C. 290aa et seq.) is amended by adding at the
5 end the following:

6 **“SEC. 506C. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE INFORMATION**
7 **CLEARINGHOUSE.**

8 “(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Administrator shall es-
9 tablish within the Administration an office to be known
10 as the ‘Drug-Free Workplace Information Clearinghouse’,
11 to be headed by a director (referred to in this section as
12 the ‘Director’) appointed by the Administrator.

13 “(b) DUTIES.—The Director shall—

14 “(1) serve as a resource for employers main-
15 taining or attempting to establish a drug-free work-
16 place policy;

17 “(2) provide assistance to employers and em-
18 ployees in—

19 “(A) resolving complaints, grievances, and
20 requests for information with regard to drug-
21 free workplaces; and

22 “(B) understanding rights and responsibil-
23 ities under Federal employment laws pertaining
24 to drug-free workplace policies; and

25 “(3) conduct an educational campaign for em-
26 ployers under subsection (c).

1 “(c) EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN.—The Director shall
2 conduct an educational campaign for employers on—

3 “(1) any Federal drug-free workplace standards
4 or guidelines; and

5 “(2) any Federal assistance available to employ-
6 ers for establishing or maintaining a drug-free work-
7 place.

8 “(d) REPORTS.—The Administrator, acting through
9 the Director, shall submit annual reports to the Secretary
10 and the Congress—

11 “(1) describing the activities of the Director;
12 and

13 “(2) including any recommendations for the im-
14 provement of Federal drug-free workplace policies or
15 guidelines.”.

16 **SEC. 3. TRAINING FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS ON**
17 **METHAMPHETAMINE ADDICTION.**

18 Subpart 1 of part B of title V of the Public Health
19 Service Act (42 U.S.C. 290bb et seq.) is amended—

20 (1) by redesignating the second section 514 (re-
21 lating to methamphetamine and amphetamine treat-
22 ment initiative) as section 514B; and

23 (2) by inserting after section 514B, as so redес-
24 igned, the following:

1 **“SEC. 514C. TRAINING FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS ON**
2 **METHAMPHETAMINE ADDICTION.**

3 “(a) GRANTS.—The Director of the Center for Sub-
4 stance Abuse Treatment shall make grants to medical as-
5 sociations, health care providers, and health care facilities
6 to conduct training for health care providers on—

7 “(1) how to recognize the signs of methamphet-
8 amine addiction; and

9 “(2) how to recognize vulnerable populations
10 for purposes of preventing and treating such addic-
11 tion.

12 “(b) EDUCATION CAMPAIGN.—The Director of the
13 Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, in cooperation
14 with health care providers, shall conduct an educational
15 campaign on the public health effects of methamphet-
16 amine addiction. Such campaign shall include the distribu-
17 tion by such providers of materials prepared by the Direc-
18 tor.”.

19 **SEC. 4. METHAMPHETAMINE AWARENESS PROJECTS.**

20 (a) TECHNICAL CORRECTION.—Section 3104(c) of
21 the Children’s Health Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–310;
22 114 Stat. 1101) is amended by striking “is amended by
23 adding the following” and inserting “is amended by insert-
24 ing after section 519D the following”.

1 (b) GRANTS.—Subpart 2 of part B of title V of the
2 Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 290bb et seq.) is
3 amended by inserting after section 519E the following:

4 **“SEC. 519F. METHAMPHETAMINE AWARENESS PROJECTS.**

5 “(a) GRANTS.—

6 “(1) AUTHORIZATION.—The Director of the
7 Center for Substance Abuse Treatment shall make
8 grants to schools, community organizations, and
9 local governmental entities to establish or maintain
10 a methamphetamine awareness project described in
11 subsection (b).

12 “(2) PROJECT DESCRIPTION.—A methamphet-
13 amine awareness project described in this subsection
14 is a community project meeting each of the fol-
15 lowing:

16 “(A) The project consists of after-school or
17 extracurricular activities for students in grades
18 6 to 12 in which the students learn about the
19 dangers of methamphetamine through hands-on
20 advertising or video production exercises.

21 “(B) Such exercises must culminate in
22 production of a finished product, such as a pub-
23 lic service announcement or a television, radio,
24 or print advertisement, to disseminate the anti-
25 methamphetamine message.

1 “(C) Such exercises must be student-driven
2 with guidance from adult mentors and profes-
3 sionals from the chosen medium.

4 “(b) ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCEMENTS.—Before
5 disseminating any methamphetamine-related public serv-
6 ice announcement or advertisement, the Secretary shall
7 consider the suitability of using an announcement or ad-
8 vertisement produced pursuant to subsection (a).”.

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